

BHSC FUN RIDE 18th JULY 2021, CASTLE MEADOW

TERMS & CONDITIONS

1. Horse entry numbers are limited so all bookings must be made online in advance with full payment due at the time of booking.
2. The booking is non-refundable.
3. We reserve the right to cancel the event at any time due to unforeseen circumstances or other reasons that are in the best interests of horse rider or the organisers.

Registration & Course Safety

1. You have chosen your intended start time at the time of booking. In the interests of safety, managing the numbers on the riders on the course, you must adhere to this start time allocation. No exceptions can be allowed due to Covid restrictions. No rider will be permitted to start the course at another undesignated time.
2. Full registration will be required online in advance of attendance.
3. On arrival all riders must follow the instructions advised by the Starter.
4. If it is necessary to retire during the route, please stop and contact the nearest Steward and/or the emergency numbers provided online and with the Entry Pack. The Safety Officer will respond.
5. Please complete the route and sign out with the Exit Steward so we know you are off the course and safe. Failure to sign out means you are injured on the course and expensive emergency procedures are instituted which may give rise to a claim against you.
6. Please provide your number to the Starter and finishing Stewards.

Rider & Horse

1. Riders must have appropriate and current Public Liability Insurance Cover through Countryside Alliance or similar.
2. All riders must wear a hard hat to the current approved standard BSEN1384, correctly fastened when mounted.
3. All riders are strongly advised to wear appropriate body protection.
4. Riders must follow all direction on the safety signage and from the Stewards and only marked routes may be followed.
5. All jumps are optional; nobody has to jump unless they wish to do so.
6. All riders must have full control of their horse at all times and be appropriately skilled to ride and handle horses in this location. Riders should carry a mobile phone on them, with emergency contact numbers therein provided in your Entry Pack.

7. Sections of the course are on a public road and public footpaths; bridleways and Deer Park so please be careful.
8. Dogs are not permitted on the course and should not be left unattended in vehicles (we reserve the right to remove same).
9. Overtaking is permitted, please calmly alert those ahead of you.
10. All horses are to have been inoculated as per the current BHA advice, i.e. to include annual booster within the last 12 months.

Safety of Children

1. An adult must sign for any rider under 18 years of age and remain their responsibility.
2. Any child under the age of 18 must wear appropriate body protection at all times.

Jumps

1. Jumps are entirely optional.

Covid-19 Terms & Conditions

In consideration of my ability to compete in the Berkeley Fun Ride, I on behalf of myself, my personal representatives, heirs, next of kin and assigns, hereby acknowledge that I am aware that by participating in this event, there are risks to me and to those with whom I interact and have exposure, directly or indirectly, to communicable disease(s) including but not limited to the Corona Virus, SARS and any mutation or variation thereof.

I HEREBY EXPRESSLY AND VOLUNTARILY ASSUME the risk that I may be exposed to or infected with a communicable disease from the events, and that such exposure or infection may involve the risk of serious injury, illness, permanent disability, and/or death. I understand that the risk of becoming exposed to, or infected with, communicable disease(s) by my participation in this event.

Further, I hereby voluntarily agree to release, waive, discharge or covenant not to sue on behalf of myself personal representatives, heirs, next of kin, and assigns the organisers or any individual member committee, Steward or other participating official, or Masters of the Berkeley Hunt, landowner or tenant, from any and all claims of liability arising out of illness or death and hereby discharge such persons including my personal representatives, heirs, next of kin and assigns from any loss, damage or claim against those mentioned.

I fully recognise that if I become ill as an alleged result of contracting a communicable disease at this Fun Ride, I will have no right to make a claim against the organising Stewards, Committee, participants, Masters, insurers or others. I have read this communicable disease related waiver and accept its conditions and freely enter into it by partaking of this Fun Ride.